





USDA Foods Fact Sheet for Schools & Child Nutrition Institutions

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100366 - BEANS, CANNED, RED, SMALL, DRY, LOW-SODIUM, #10

CATEGORY	Meat/Meat Alternates or Vegetables/Fruits
PRODUCT DESCRIPTION	U.S. Grade A canned dry red small beans, cooked and packed in salt water.
PACK/YIELD	• 6/#10 cans per case. Each can contains about 106 oz red beans and liquid.
	• One #10 can AP yields about 67.9 oz (about 75% cups) heated, drained red small beans and provides about 30.4 1/4-cup servings heated, drained red small beans OR about 15.2 1/2-cup servings heated, drained red small beans.
	• CN Crediting: ¼ cup heated, drained red small beans provides 1 ozequivalent meat/meat alternate OR ¼ cup heated, drained red small beans provides ¼ cup vegetable BUT NOT both components at the same meal.
STORAGE	Store unopened canned red small beans in a cool, dry place. Never store canned goods in a damp storage area or any place exposed to high or low temperature extremes.
	• Store opened canned red small beans covered and labeled in a dated nonmetallic container under refrigeration and use within 2 days.
	• Use First-In-First-Out (FIFO) storage practices to ensure use of older product first.

Nutrition Information

Beans, red, small, canned, mature seeds, drained

	¼ cup	½ cup
	(64 g)	(128 g)
Calories	21	42
Protein	3.09 g	6.18 g
Carbohydrate	3.02 g	6.04 g
Dietary Fiber	3.4 g	6.8 g
Sugars	1.18 g	2.37 g
Total Fat	0.37 g	0.74 g
Saturated Fat	0.053 g	0.093 g
<i>Trans</i> Fat	0 g	0 g
Cholesterol	0 mg	0 mg
Iron	0.57 mg	1.14 mg
Calcium	12 mg	24 mg
Sodium	70 mg	140 mg
Magnesium	15 mg	29 mg
Potassium	124 mg	248 mg
Vitamin A	1 IU	3 IU
Vitamin A	0 RAE	0 RAE
Vitamin C	22.8 mg	45.6 mg
Vitamin E	0 mg	0 mg







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PREPARATION/ COOKING INSTRUCTIONS	 Use a clean cloth to wash the lids of canned foods before opening to keep dirt from getting into the food. Use a clean and sanitized can opener. Heat without added salt and serve alone or use as directed in recipes.
USES AND TIPS	• Use canned beans in soups, salads, and entrees. Serve one variety of beans alone or in combination with others. Canned beans may be substituted for cooked dry beans in any recipe without the addition of salt.
FOOD SAFETY INFORMATION	 NEVER USE food from cans that are leaking, bulging, or are badly dented. DON'T TASTE canned food with a foul odor, or that spurts liquid from the container when opened. Cook foods to the appropriate end-point temperature as specified in your School Food Safety Plan, which should meet your State and local health department requirements.
BEST IF USED BY GUIDANCE	 For guidance on how to effectively manage, store, and maintain USDA Foods, please visit the FDD Website at: http://www.fns.usda.gov/fdd/facts/biubguidance.htm. For additional information on product dating, go to page 13 of <i>Choice Plus Food Safety Supplement</i> at: http://nfsmi-web01.nfsmi.olemiss.edu/documentlibraryfiles/PDF/20080206043207.pdf.

Nutrient values in the nutrition information section are from the USDA National Nutrient Database for Standard Reference, or are average values from vendors who provide USDA Foods. Please refer to the product's Nutrition Facts label or ingredient list for product-specific information.